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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Mats LEIJON et al. ) Art Unit: 2834  
Serial No.: 08/952,990 ) Examiner: E. Enad  
Filed: November 28, 1997 ) Client Ref.: 8238

**FOR: ROTATING ELECTRIC MACHINE PLANTS**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

March 16, 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is further responsive to the Final Office Action dated May 11, 2000.

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IN THE CLAIMS:

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Amend claims 1, 21 and 39 as follows:

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

1. (Three Times Amended) A plant for generating high voltage power comprising a rotating high-voltage machine including at least one winding and a converter wherein at least one of a mechanical torque is convertible via the converter into direct current and direct voltage, and wherein direct current and direct voltage are convertible via the converter into a mechanical torque said winding including a flexible cable including a current carrying conductor and a field confining insulating cover, said current carrying conductor including a plurality of insulated strands and at least one uninsulated strand in contact with the cover.